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INTERESTING CLUB MEETING HELD

Robt. C. Root, Secretary of the American Peace Society, and Miss Diggs, of the Red Cross, Speak to Ladies

Robt. C. Root, Secretary of the American Peace Society and President of the Peace Society of California, was the speaker for the social meeting of the Woman's Club, on Friday afternoon of last week.

Mr. Root spoke on the causes of the present war in Europe and some of the lessons to be drawn from it. He cited the fact that wars lead to wars, giving historical data of one war after another, bringing about race hatred among the people of Europe, which again engendered war. Also the fact of perpetration, showing by strong logic that what we are prepared for, that shall we have.

The lesson brought out most clearly was the utter fallacy of the term "armed peace."

Mr. Root's thoughts were deeply appreciated by the ladies whom he addressed, and his sentiments seemed to find a true echo in their hearts.

The Club reported having raised fifty-one dollars in cash, ten dollars contributed from the Club treasury, and many acceptable donations of food stuffs for the Belgian Relief Fund, but to show that their sympathies extend to all, the Club listened, with appreciation, to Miss Helen Diggs, representative of the Red Cross of America, for the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

Miss Diggs gave a very graphic description of the work, and the Club promptly voted to handle as many of the Red Cross Seals or Christmas stickers as possible during the approaching holidays.

Another matter discussed and decided upon was the Grand Masquerade Ball, to be given New Year's Eve. It was decided to secure the best local music, and a grand, good time will be arranged.

AT THE CHURCHES

Methodist Episcopal Church.
(EDWIN FRANCIS BROWN, Pastor.)
Sunday School at 10 o'clock, a. m.; Rev. H. W. Walz superintendent.
Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Epworth League devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
The pastor will speak at the evening service.

Trinity Episcopal Church.
(J. HENRY OELHOF, Rector.)
Sunday School at ten o'clock.
Morning prayer at eleven o'clock.
Evening prayer at seven-thirty o'clock.
St. Francis' Catholic Church.
(T. M. COMBARFORD, Pastor.)
Mass will be celebrated in Sonoma at 10:30 a. m.
Mass will be celebrated at Glen Ellen, at 9 a. m.
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in the evening, at 7:30 o'clock.
Congregational Church
(T. M. PRICE, Pastor.)
Sunday morning worship at 11 o'clock.
My friend found fault with the Bible, so would we if it taught what he said it taught. He found fault with God, but the God he was looking at was not the God we serve. He told me what the Christian God was, but no Christian ever had his notion. If we had his ideas we would live as he lives. It does make a very great difference as to what you believe. To be very honest, that the moon is made of green cheese does not give the humany that consistency. If you were great enough to measure your self by the truth, rather than by yourself you would appear in need of the real God and his salvation. Come and hear the word of God to you.

The Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 P. M. Mr. Studley will lead the meeting. Prayer meeting is at 8 P. M. Wednesday.
Evening worship at 7:30 P. M. Solomon was a wise man, as his writings prove, but he took the turn that every man takes who is not wise. How the mighty have fallen. An Angel of God could not be pure in our way of life nor woe the great Arab Angel sing the praise of God if he touched the human level. Come out Sunday night and look into the way of life that pleases God.

CHURCH BAZAAR NEXT WEEK

Two Days' Fete To Be Given by St. Barbara's Guild on Thursday and Friday, December 3d and 4th.

The month of December opens auspiciously for the pleasure-loving public with the bazaar and entertainment which has been arranged by the members of St. Barbara's Guild for the benefit of Trinity Episcopal Church.

On the opening evening (Thursday), the principal feature of entertainment will be dancing, interspersed with musical numbers, and there will be on display and sale many pretty and practical pieces of handiwork, so acceptable as Christmas gifts.

The play, "Our Bachelors," which will engage the public interest on Friday night, Dec. 4th, is one of the most entertaining comedies ever produced in America. It served as a regular vehicle, for years, for the quaint humor of those sterling comedians of the past—Stewart Robson and Wm. Crane. The present generation knew Mr. Crane for his great productions of "The Senator," "Father and Son," etc., and Robson will never be forgotten for his character of "Birtie the Lamb," in "The Henrietta."

The play of "Our Bachelors" will be given by the best local talent, and the performance may properly be pleasantly anticipated as the production has been managed and directed by that competent and versatile dramatic artist, A. L. Wells.

The cast will be as follows:

Prof. Baugh.....A. L. Wells
Judge Jowler.....Ralph Hotz
Ned Warring.....Paul Thomson
Dr. Bonaire.....Raoul Emparan
Muldoon.....Emery Ranker
Peters.....Wm. Von Hacht
Mrs. Mouser.....Mrs. Von Hacht
Mrs. Courtney, Mrs. Chester Pressey; Esther Grey, Miss Gladys Simmons; Alice.....Miss Anita Gassner
Seats may be obtained of members of St. Barbara's Guild and reserved at Simmons' Drug Store, beginning Monday morning, Nov. 30th, at nine o'clock.

RYAN SIGNS FOR RECOUNT

Friday of last week Joseph F. Ryan, candidate for the office of sheriff of Sonoma County at the election on November 3d, opposing Sheriff Jack Smith, affixed his signature to the complaint in his suit for a recount of the votes cast for that office. Attorneys Thomas J. Geary and William Finlaw Geary represent Ryan.

The complaint sets forth the date of the holding of the election in Sonoma County, and that the parties, plaintiff and defendant, were candidates for the office of sheriff.

It also sets forth that votes were cast for both in the 102 precincts of the county and alleges that there were irregularities in the count of the votes whereby some were counted for defendant which should have been counted for plaintiff, and so forth.

The papers were prepared by the attorneys for the plaintiff, following the declaration of the official canvass of the tally sheets—not the ballots—by the board of supervisors, and Mr. Ryan signed the complaint prior to its being filed in the Superior Court.

When the papers reach the court it becomes the judge's duty to set a time for the recount, and when this is done, and the date set arrives the court will proceed to recount the 18,000 ballots or more. The recount, it is expected, will be commenced as soon as possible.

Piano Recital.

Friday afternoon of last week the Music Study Class composed of the piano pupils of Miss Alta L. Rice, met in recital at the home of their teacher, with the mothers as guests.

Each member rendered a composition from memory, which showed special instruction in expression and technique. Several duets and children's songs were special features on the program, and were greatly enjoyed.

The object of these monthly recitals is to aid pupils to gain confidence and control, so that renditions may be given before others with ease and grace.

NO MORE FEES TO BE ALLOWED

Justices of the Peace Must Turn Fees Received into County Treasury—Government Bill Provides Salary.

A number of justices of the peace elected at the November election will experience a surprise when they read that on and after the first of January they will receive simply the salary of the office and no fees for civil suits, for performing marriages, etc., says the Santa Rosa Press Democrat, as all such fees will have to be turned into the county treasury.

It is lucky for the justices of the peace in Sonoma county that the county government bill gives them some salary, otherwise they would be out and injured. In some counties it seems no provision has been made for a salary for the magistrates in county government bills and in consequence they will get nothing for their services on the bench. This is true in many of the smaller counties.

The salary, for instance, of the justice of the peace of Santa Rosa township, the largest township in the county, having the most population, is \$125 a month. Heretofore Justice Atchison has probably doubled this salary some months with civil and marriage fees. But his successor will have to be content with the salary alone. The same rule will apply to Petaluma township, where George Brush succeeds George T. Harlow, and so on.

The doing away of justice of the peace fees was determined by the people of the State when in October, 1911, they passed a constitutional amendment making the change.

Here is section 15 of article 6 of the constitution of the State governing the disposition of fees collected by State or township officers:

"No judicial officer, except court commissioners, shall receive to his own use any fees or perquisites of office, provided that the justices of the peace, now holding office shall receive to their own use such fees as are now allowed by law during the terms for which they have been elected. (Passed October 10, 1911.)"

The political code of the State, however, classified counties, and in some instances provides a means of paying justices of the peace with fees collected. The legislative counsel bureau in Sacramento, however, in officially answering the question for senator E. S. Birdsall of the Third Senatorial district, comprising the counties of El Dorado, Plumas, Sierra, Nevada and Placer, declares that the code provisions are unconstitutional in that they conflict with the constitution of the state as quoted above, and that therefore the justices not provided for by city charters cannot collect fees, nor is there any way for them to receive compensation for their services.

It will be seen by the terms of the constitutional amendment that the law regarding fees for justices becomes effective when the newly elected magistrates take office in January, 1915.

J. A. Kinsella-Awarded Contract

J. A. Kinsella, on Tuesday last, was awarded the contract to install the plumbing in Sonoma's splendid grammar school, now in course of construction, and the district is to be congratulated on that fact, as one more competent than Mr. Kinsella could not be secured for the work. He is a master mechanic, with most thoroughly up-to-date ideas, and during the years of his residence here, he has established a reputation for skill of workmanship and of giving to his patrons the fair, square, reliable service that insures and retains confidence.

Foxhound Wins Trophy.

Some of the finest dogs in the State of California were on view at the third annual bench show under the auspices of the Sonoma County Kennel Club in Santa Rosa last week. Supervisor J. Harry Weise, of Glen Ellen, had the honor of bearing away a trophy. The Golden Gate Kennel Club's medal for the best foxhound was won by Mr. Weise's Judge.

Returns from Out-of-Town Visits

Mrs. A. H. Bates and J. H. F. Bates returned to their homes in this city the fore part of the week, the former from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Nau-man, in San Francisco, and Mrs. Henry Bates from a week's sojourn with Mrs. Edward Glaz at Bonita.

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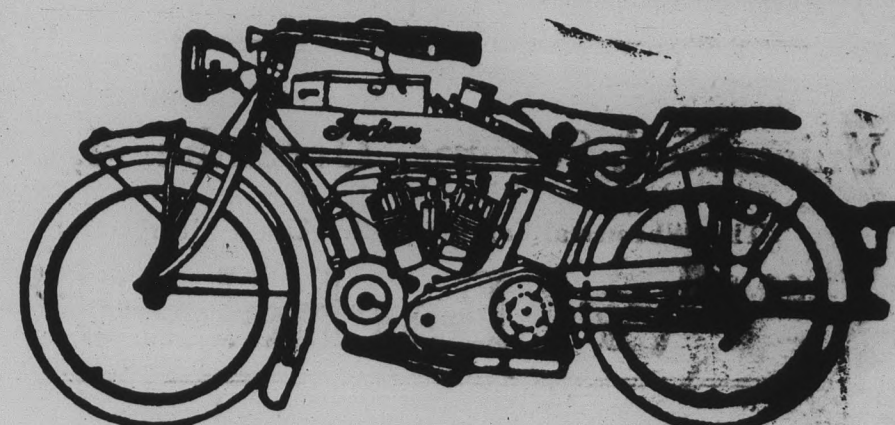
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Sonoma, California, NOVEMBER 28, 1914.

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UNDER the Act of October 22, 1914, providing for emergency revenue for the United States Government, special taxes were laid on certain occupations. These special taxes are due this month and must be paid this month to prevent the imposition of a penalty of 50 per cent. Sworn returns on a form to be obtained from the Collector of Internal Revenue in San Francisco, or from the Deputy Collectors of Internal Revenue at Oakland, Sacramento or Fresno, must be filed, disclosing the identity of those affected and their tax liability.

The following persons are subject to those taxes:

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- Pawnbrokers.
- Commercial Brokers.
- Customhouse Brokers.
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- Proprietors of Circuses.
- Proprietors or Agents of Public Exhibitions.
- Proprietors of Bowling Alleys or Billiard Rooms.
- Commission Merchants.

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Immediate inquiry should be made of the Collector of Internal Revenue at San Francisco, or of one of his deputies, as above directed, regarding the rate of tax and the form on which to disclose liability.

This must be done during the month of November, or the person liable to such tax when found by the field officers of the revenue service will be subject to the severe penalties of the law.

COUNTRY LIFE IS THE LIFE

Rural life is coming into its own and country life is beginning to be appreciated again after several decades of disfavor and neglect. The following creed, which is being adopted as the slogan of various boys' and girls' clubs throughout the rural sections of the United States, shows that the thought life of the country is being directed into its natural channels:

"I believe that the country which God made is more beautiful than the city which man made; that life out of doors and in touch with the earth is the natural life of man. I believe that work is work wherever I find it, but that work with nature is more inspiring than work with the most intricate machinery. I believe that the dignity of labor depends not only upon what you do, but on how you do it; that opportunity comes to a boy on the farm as often as to a boy in the city, and that life is larger and freer and happier on the farm than in the town."

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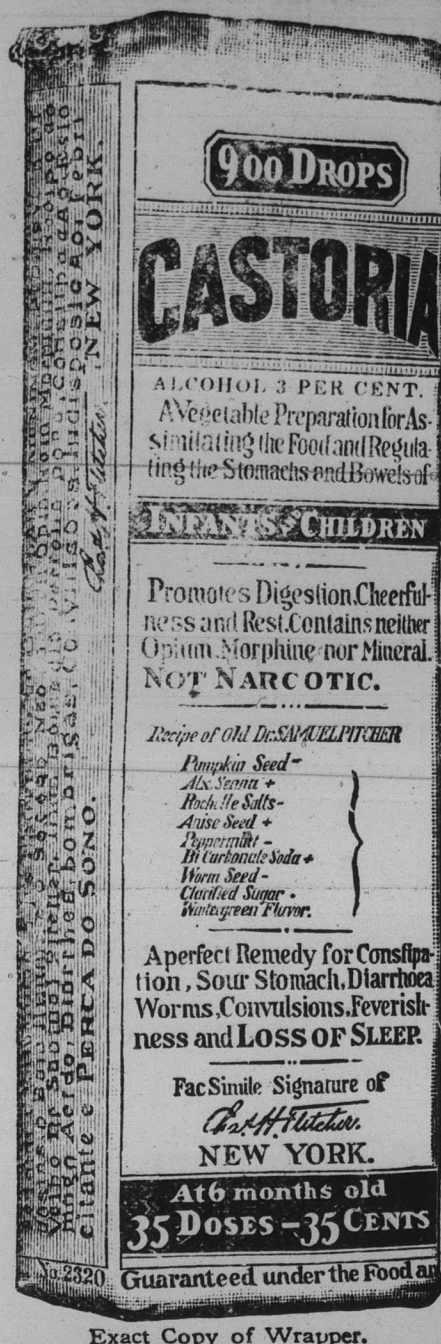
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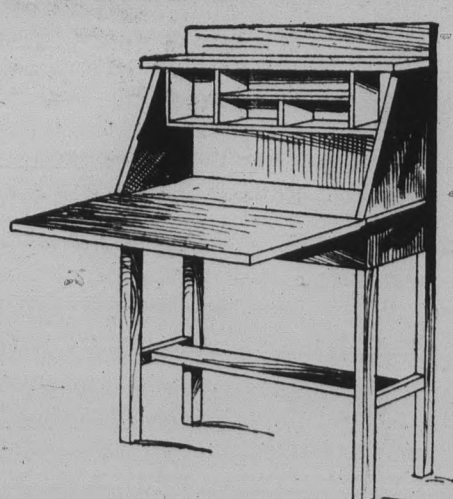
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DAILY.	TO AND FROM	DAILY.
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3:40 P M	and Intermediates	6:50 P M
	Glen Ellen and Intermediates.	9:59 A M
7:18 A M	Novato	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	Petaluma and Intermediates.	6:50 P M
7:18 A M	Cloverdale	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	Healdsburg and Intermediates.	6:50 P M
7:18 A M	Ukiah	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	and Intermediates	6:50 P M
7:18 A M	Whitts	6:50 P M
3:40 P M	and Sherwood	6:50 P M
7:18 A M	Sebastopol	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	and Intermediates.	6:50 P M
7:18 A M	Guerneville	9:59 A M
3:40 P M	and Intermediates.	6:50 P M
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SUMMONS

In the Superior Court, State of California in and for the County of Sonoma, Action was taken in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the Complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma, this 24th day of September, 1914.

ROBERT ANSELMI, Plaintiff
vs.
ROBERT ANSELMI, Defendant
C. F. LEA and J. W. FORD, Santa Rosa Attorneys for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send greeting to ROBERT ANSELMI, Defendant. You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the Complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days, if served elsewhere. And you are hereby notified that, unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or plaintiff will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint. Given under my hand and Seal of the said Superior Court, this 24th day of September, 1914.

W. W. FELT, Jr.,
County Clerk
(SEAL) By L. J. WINANS,
Deputy Clerk

Notice to Creditors

Estate of Jean Dutil, also known as J. Dutil, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Anna Dutil, executrix of the will and estate of Jean Dutil, also known as J. Dutil, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, the said deceased, to exhibit to them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at the law office of Robert A. Poppe, in the Poppe Building, on the east side of the Plaza, in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Sonoma, this 24th day of September, 1914.

ANNA DUTIL,
Executrix of the will and estate of Jean Dutil, also known as J. Dutil, deceased.
Dated at El Verano, September 26, 1914.
Robert A. Poppe, Attorney for estate.
First Publication September 26, 1914.
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Certificate of Business

Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a butcher business in the city of Sonoma, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of "New Broadway Meat Market," and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows: to-wit: Annabelle J. Maffei, Sonoma, Sonoma County, California; and Oliver Maffei, Sonoma, Sonoma County, California. Witness our hands this 24th day of October A. D., 1914.

ANNEBALLE J. MAFFEI
OLIVER MAFFEI

State of California, County of Sonoma—ss

On the 21st day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, before me, James C. Campbell, Justice of the Peace for Sonoma Township, in Sonoma County, State of California, personally appeared Annabelle J. Maffei and Oliver Maffei, known to me to be persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 21st day of October 1914.
JAMES CAMPBELL,
Justice of the Peace for Sonoma Township, Sonoma County, California.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma

HARRY H. GRANICE

Plaintiff,

vs.

Guy F. Fling, also known as Guy Freeman Fling, John Doe and Richard Roe, and also all persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest or share in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon the plaintiff's title thereto.

J. W. FORD

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma.

The People of the State of California send greeting to: Guy F. Fling, also known as Guy Freeman Fling, John Doe and Richard Roe, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest or share in the real property described in the complaint adverse to the plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon the plaintiff's title thereto.

The Plaintiff above named has brought an action against you, and each of you, in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, entitled as above, and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex officio Clerk of said Court.

And you are and each of you is, hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in said action within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within said County; and if served elsewhere and without said County, then within thirty days after service of same upon you.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any relief demanded in the complaint.

The real property affected by said action is situated lying and being in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the Southwest corner of Lot Number 41, as known and described on the Official Map of said City, and running thence Easterly along Napa Street 71 feet and 10 inches to an iron stake; thence Northerly 240 feet; thence Westerly 71 feet and 10 inches; thence Southerly 240 feet to the point of beginning.

The object of said action is as follows: 1. To oblige the said Defendants to set forth the nature of their claims in and to said lands.

2. To obtain a decree of said Court whereby all claims said Defendants, all and singular, in and to said lands, adverse to the said Plaintiff's ownership thereof, shall be determined.

3. To obtain a decree of said Court declaring and adjudging that said Plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said lands, and that said Defendants, all and singular, have no estate in or to said lands, or any part thereof.

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5. And to obtain such other relief as in the premises shall to said Court seem meet.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, this 24th day of September, A. D. 1914.

(SEAL) W. W. FELT, Jr.,
County Clerk.

By L. J. WINANS
Deputy Clerk.

WEDDING BELLS FOR HAPPY TWAIN

Nuptials of Miss Marjorie Buchanan
and Arthur M. Fisk, a
Thanksgiving Event

Following the announcement of the betrothal of Miss Marjorie Buchanan and Arthur M. Fisk, the fact that the young people were quietly wedded at high noon, on Thanksgiving Day, will come somewhat as a surprise to the friends of the young people, as it had been believed that the celebration of the nuptials was to be a later holiday event.

The ceremony was charming in its simplicity. Rev. T. M. Price officiating. There were no bridal attendants. The bride was handsomely gowned in pearl grey chiffon, with lace tunic.

An elaborate wedding feast followed the tying of the knot, and on the afternoon train the newly-wedded couple departed on a several weeks' honeymoon trip, which includes a visit to the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ned A. Harbort, whose home is in Creswell, N. C. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Fisk will reside in San Francisco.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mrs. Katharine Buchanan, was born and reared in this city, and is a girl of exceptional talents, and her delightful personality has made of her a prime favorite in social and church circles and very popular with all who know her. The groom is an estimable young man of sterling worth, and holds a good position with the Southern Pacific Railway Company.

The Index-Tribune unites with other friends in extending best wishes to the bridal pair and hopes their union will record decades of unalloyed happiness.

SCHELLVILLE NEWS

Mr. J. A. Landsborough of Locust Grove, left last Tuesday for a brief visit to the bay cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Daly of San Francisco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiser last Sunday.

A large number of friends and relatives enjoyed Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Pauli.

Mr. and Mrs. Millerick had the pleasure of a visit from their son George, of San Francisco, last Sunday.

Mrs. F. McGill left the Broadway Sanitarium last Sunday, and is now at her home resting comfortably.

Mr. and Mrs. M. McCray were visitors at Mrs. Logan Beamer's home last Sunday, enjoying a very pleasant afternoon.

Mr. O. Gericke and his son Bert and the Misses Marguerite and Agnes of Alta Vista, spent last Sunday at the home of E. Steiger.

A very pleasant surprise was tendered Mrs. Emma Steddom, last Tuesday, at her, cozy home here. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed. The refreshments brought by the merry-makers were delicious. The party included Mesdames E. Bennett, J. Keiser, W. Cary, E. Steiger and little Evelyn Steiger and Logan Beamer.

HAPPY JACK.

Blood Poisoning.

Bert Kerner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Kerner, is suffering from blood poisoning of the right hand from a burn received last week. He is being treated by Dr. Irving C. Gobar.

Card of Thanks

The undersigned wish to extend their appreciation and sincere thanks to those kind friends and neighbors for their assistance during our bereavement in the death of our granddaughter, Miss Vera Pohley.

B. C. POHLEY.
CHARLES E. POHLEY.
MRS. M. POHLEY.

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Y. M. I. BALL SPLENDID SUCCESS

Mrs. H. H. Granice and Miss Agnes Moss Best Sustained and Most Original Characters

Union Hall was the scene of gay revelry, Thanksgiving Eve, the occasion of the merry-making being the Grand Masque Ball, given by Sonoma Valley Council. Young Men's Institute, and the affair was one of the most successful dancing parties given in Sonoma for many years.

The hall had been tastefully decorated by the members of the fraternity, in the lodge colors—red and gold—which had been effectively combined with greenery, and the attendance was a gratifying compliment to the energetic and popular body of young men who managed the undertaking.

Mrs. Harry H. Granice won the prize for the best sustained character, that of a strolling gypsy fortune teller, and Miss Agnes Moss, representing an IXL tomale, was decided the most original representative. Erhard Steiger, costumed in a grain sack, had no end of sport and was awarded the booby prize. One of the best, in fact the most effective costume noted was that worn by Mrs. Erhard Steiger. At first glance, the thought occurred that the spectator was admiring a quaint figure stepped from out the misty past—of fully half a century ago, so delightfully complete was the pretty, old-fashioned costuming of Mrs. Steiger.

Messrs. R. L. Watt, C. E. Johnson and W. F. Clewe served as judges.

John F. Picetti and Wm. J. Kehoe capably managed the floor, looking well to the pleasure of the many assembled company.

At midnight a sumptuous turkey feast was served in the Union Hotel dining room, by the management of that popular hostelry.

The music provided by the Pauli-Gottberg Orchestra was up to its usual standard of excellence, so much so, as a matter of fact, that the not until the approach of dawn did the festive throng disperse.

Messrs. Wm. J. Kearney, W. J. Kehoe and John F. Picetti were highly complimented by spectators and dancers for the success of their efforts as managing committee of the ball, and the gentlemen are certainly entitled to the commendation, as they were untiring in their efforts, neglecting no detail of arrangement.

MRS. JANSEN PASSES AWAY

Sunday evening last, Mrs. Ragna Jansen, widow of the late Victor Jansen, whose passing occurred a few years ago, entered into rest at the family home in this city, death being a welcome release from an illness of intense suffering and several months' duration.

Mrs. Jansen was one of the pioneer women of this section, having been a resident of the Sonoma Valley for more than thirty years. During the many years spent by her in our midst, the deceased had established a wide circle of firm friends who remained steadfast because of the fine character of the deceased, her gentle kindness and many worthy qualities.

Three children—Alfred T., Jerome C., and Norma A.—are left to mourn the departure from earth of their much-loved and tenderly devoted mother. Two brothers—John Field, of El Verano, and Anders Field, of Fresno—also survive the deceased.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon, Rev. T. M. Price conducting the services at the family residence, and the burial service at the grave being read by the officers of Verdant Degree Lodge of Rebekahs, of which fraternity the deceased was a valued member.

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Thanksgiving Day Fittingly Observed by Religious Services and Family Reunions in Sonoma Valley

Thanksgiving Day was fittingly observed in Sonoma, being made the occasion for many joyous reunions of families and friends. Happy is the family whose broken circle makes possible the celebration of the home hallowed day, with no vacant chair to tear eyes or sadden the hearts with thoughts of the absent, who never again will join in the thanks offered the Supreme Giver of every good and perfect gift for the blessings bestowed upon each and all of us. We of California are so blessed—possess such innumerable gifts for which we should be devoutly thankful. Indeed, every day is really one of Thanksgiving in California, so beneficent has been the Creator to the State of the Golden West.

The Thanksgiving Day services held at the Congregational Church were largely attended.

Rev. T. M. Price, the zealous pastor, was in charge, and special music under the direction of Prof. M. H. Rowell, was rendered by an augmented choir. A solo, beautifully given by Miss Henrietta Weber, was a feature of the service.

The sermon, which was preached by Rev. Edwin F. Brown, pastor of the Methodist Church, was an interesting and splendid literary effort and greatly appreciated by the large congregation whose privilege it was to be present.

The text for the occasion was Psalm 147:20: "He hath not dealt so with any nation."

Rev. Brown spoke in part as follows:

"On this day specially set apart for recognition of the Almighty goodness and mercy, we do well to emphasize two thoughts, namely: That our nation was divinely founded, and that it is divinely favored."

"Some one wrote a book on 'The Ifs of History,' the purpose of which was to show what would have been the results had certain events been shaped differently. But to one who believes that back of all the world events and world movements God is in hiding, such speculation is both idle and worthless."

"The history of the world and of our own country in particular proves that there is no 'if' about it. Centuries before Columbus left the port of Palos to find the northwest passage to India, the hardy Norsemen had discovered the main continent of America, but while they enjoyed the new land for its scenery and its climate, they regarded the discovery as of no special importance. Looking at the matter from this distance, we are inclined to say that God was not ready to have that goodly land turned over to a band of cruel, bloodthirsty pirates, but would hold in his hands a little longer the treasures of its hills and the bounty of its valleys. He would reserve this land for a people who had all the courage of the Vikings, but none of their savagery, who had the hardihood of those original discoverers, but none of their vacillations. And when, in the fullness of time, the Pilgrim Fathers came to the shore the cargo of the Mayflower, they carried also the ideals and influences which had accumulated in their lives, and which, when put into a government, would make it the best government the earth had ever known."

"That this country is divinely favored is borne out by an observation of the conditions obtaining in other parts of the world. Sheltered from the storms now raging in the world of nations; prospered in a manner and in a degree beyond all power of adequate description; thoroughly and conspicuously blessed of the Almighty, we can, with pride and gratitude, say that God hath not dealt so with any other nation."

"But gratitude should rise above selfishness and all local conditions. It should contain the elements of sympathy and duty. If we are favored in temporal affairs, having a good house to live in, and a good fire to keep us warm, and plenty of books to stimulate our minds, and enough pictures to satisfy the artistic and aesthetic parts of our natures, we ought to make it possible for others to likewise enjoy the comforts of life."

And this is the true meaning of the mighty industrial and political movement that is sweeping this land and other lands. Every man shall have a chance, and the social consciousness must be exalted through kindness and justice and equality."

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Appleton had been very artistically adorned by their daughter, Mrs. Carrie A. Burlingame, for the observance of the day, and for the commemoration of the anniversary of the birth of the venerable man, who is one of the most prominent and respected of Sonoma Valley's pioneers.

Mr. Appleton has attained the ripe age of eighty-five years, and he could not but feel that the day was one of thanksgiving, indeed, and to be happily remembered. Gathered in the parental home were the relatives of the fortunate gentleman upon whom the snow of time rests lightly, the happy gathering comprising Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Appleton, Mr. and Mrs. John Gottenberg, Dr. and Mrs. Hartley W. Gottenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Appleton and daughter Lois, Mrs. Carrie A. Burlingame, Emmet, James and Ray Gottenberg.

A host of friends extend congratulations and hope that many years of joyous family reunions yet remain for Mr. and Mrs. Appleton.

One of the most joyous reunions of the time-honored holiday was that of the Bates family, all of whom assembled at the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Bates.

There gathered round the festive table Mrs. A. H. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Bates and daughters, Misses Nancy and Zoleta; Mr. and Mrs. Adam Adler, Miss Irma and Master Leland Adler; Mrs. Pauline McMullin and Joe McMullin; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Newman and children, Irene, Marie and Jack, of San Francisco; Miss Martha Landgraf and Raymond Caster.

Thanksgiving Eve of nineteen hundred and fourteen was the occasion of unusual gladness and happy reminiscences for Mr. and Mrs. H. Bates, it being the twentieth anniversary of the marriage of that congenial and much-esteemed couple. To make more complete the joy of their first wedding anniversary, their talented daughter, Miss Nancy, came to gladden their lives. The double anniversaries are always pleasantly remembered, and scores of friends shower congratulations on the fortunate couple, who have reached the twentieth milestone, and the popular girl, who is in the flower of maidenhood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hanger, and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hunter, celebrated the beloved holiday in their handsome new residence, and the occasion was certainly a pleasurable event.

A sumptuous Thanksgiving dinner was served, at which Mr. and Mrs. Hanger had the pleasure of entertaining their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Pomeroy and their son and daughter, Gordon and Virginia, of Santa Rosa. Mr. and Mrs. Hanger also had as their guests Mrs. Williams and sons, Will and Robert, who motored up from San Jose. This is the first visit Mrs. Williams has made to her Sonoma friends since the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, and as the several families have been the trust of friends throughout the years, the reunion was fraught with rare pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. H. John Sholden came up from San Francisco to enjoy Thanksgiving with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Small, and the holiday is yearly one of unusual pleasure in the Small home, as it is also the birthday anniversary of Miss Gladys Small. The prince of fun-makers, the "only and inimitable Jim" Small, of Vineburg, was on hand to assist in the proper celebration of the anniversary and holiday, and Thanksgiving of 1914 will be remembered as one of the most enjoyable in the history of the Small family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dal Poggetto reserved the serving of their Thanksgiving feast until tomorrow, when they will entertain Mr. and Mrs. H. Menesini and their prospective son-in-law, Albert P. Rivara, all of San Francisco.

Miss Kate White, of Santa Rosa, enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Lewis. The lady is a sister of the widely known and much-esteemed Sonoma pioneer, C. W. White, who makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. S. B. Lewis.

City Trustee and Mrs. Charles B. McDevitt and family enjoyed Thanksgiving as the guests of their relatives, the Fred Batto family at Vineburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Clewe spent the holiday in the City of Roses, the guests of Mrs. C. C. Norris. Master Wm. Clewe, Jr., accompanied his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Duhring are entertaining at a house party over the week-end the Misses Ruth Kincaid and Lena Shafer and Mr. Geo. Maze of Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wagner spent Thanksgiving very pleasantly with their son, Rudolph, and friends in San Francisco.

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF ENGAGEMENT

Charming Sonoma Girl to Wed
Prominent San Francisco
Business Man.

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The pretty bride-elect was reared to young womanhood in our midst, and has a legion of friends by whom the details of her approaching nuptials will be awaited with all the eagerness that is attendant upon an event so happily auspicious.

The wedding will occur during the holidays, and is to be a charming church function, with handsome gowns, beautiful decorations and friends to felicitate and wish bon voyage to the happy young people on their matrimonial journey.

Miss Dal Poggetto, who has held a responsible position as a bookkeeper in San Francisco for the past three years, has given up her place and returned to her home in this city, where she will remain until she leaves the parental roof for a happy bride.

Rally Day at Methodist Episcopal Church

On Sunday morning, Nov. 22nd, a "Rally Day" service was held in the Methodist Church, in place of the usual Sunday devotional services.

The entire Sunday School rallied and a very interesting program, consisting of hymns and short religious verses were rendered by the children of the school. Every child participated, some in groups and others alone.

The service was presided over by Rev. Mr. Waltz, the superintendent of the Sunday school, and the pastor, Rev. Francis Brown, both of whom delivered short addresses on interesting subjects concerning the school, and the choir rendered several musical numbers.

NOTABLE BAPTISM CEREMONIAL

Locust Grove the Scene of the
Impressive Episcopalian Sacramental Ceremony.

Locust Grove, the delightfully picturesque suburban home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Landsborough, was the scene of a noteworthy ceremonial, Thanksgiving Day.

Under the beautifully spreading branches of the locusts, seven lovely little ones were christened by Rev. Partridge, rector of the Episcopal Church of Petaluma, and a close and old-time friend of the Landsborough family.

Miss Isabel Landsborough, of San Rafael, who is a guest at the home of her brother, genial J. A., had the honor of being sponsor for the bevy of little cousins who experienced the sacred rite. Of these two were the children of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rowell, two of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith, and two of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pauli, all of Berkeley, and the seventh was the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pauli.

Following the reception and hospitality extended by the affable host and gracious hostess, the party repaired to the Harold Pauli residence, where a bountiful Thanksgiving dinner was partaken of, and a pleasurable evening spent.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our friends, neighbors and members of Verdant Rebekah Lodge, No. 99, I. O. O. F., for the assistance and sympathy tendered us during our late bereavement in suffering the loss of our beloved mother, Mrs. Ragna Jansen.

ALFRED T. JANSEN.
JEROME C. JANSEN.
NORMA A. JANSEN.

On Thursday, November 19th, a birthday party was tendered to Miss Myrtle Hardy at her home, the McGill cottage on the Napa road. About twenty of this popular young ladies friends were present to help celebrate the occasion. Later a dainty repast was partaken of and after wishing the hostess many happy returns of the day all departed having enjoyed their visit immensely.

EASY JIM.

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OTTO VON GELDERN, Plaintiff,
VS.

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SUMMONS.
ROBERT A. POPPE and R. F. CRAWFORD, Attorneys for Plain

THIS ACTION is brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, and the complaint in said action is filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is Ex-Officio Clerk of said Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to:
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The Plaintiff above named has brought an action against you, and each of you, in the Superior Court, in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, entitled as above, and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the county clerk of said county, who is ex-officio clerk of said court.

And you are and each of you is, hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in said action within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within this County; and if served elsewhere and without said county, then within thirty days after service of same upon you.

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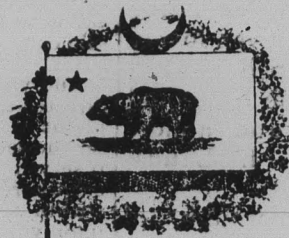
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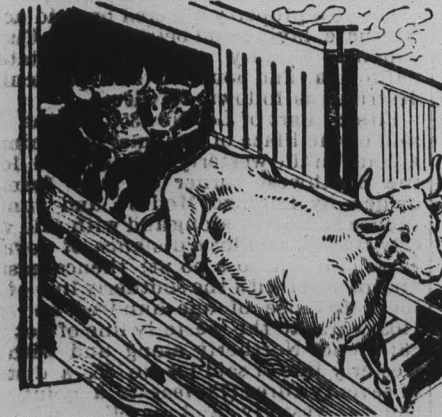
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Spineless Cactus Profitable---Improvements Needed in the Dairy---Hints for the Poultry-Yard.

From the columns of the Farm Section of an exchange, we take the following article on the culture of spineless cactus, written by B. B. Goss, of Sheridan, Cal.:

To those who have investigated the value of spineless cactus as a forage, there has been no doubt whatever that it would, some day, be grown more extensively in this state. To the general public and those who have read but superficially with regard to cactus, or who have made their inquiries in a haphazard way, there does seem to be some misunderstanding or misinformation with regard to its value as a food for cattle and hogs.

The principal trouble is of course that so far the plant has been raised in such a limited way and there has been such a large demand for the nursery stock that it has precluded its general use as a forage, and until such time as this condition is changed it cannot, of course, be generally used for feed as its value for nursery purposes is considerably higher than it would be for forage. The time, however, is rapidly drawing near when it will be valuable as feed and only when this time does arrive and it has been tried out by the average farmer will its food value be appreciated. The wild exaggerations which have been made in regard to its growth The wild exaggerations which have been made in regard to its growth and the many imaginative qualities it possesses are of course unnecessary as it is not necessary to exaggerate its value as it has sufficient virtue laying modestly in every slab of it.

It has been fully established that this succulent fruit is enjoyed by cattle and in the case of dairy stock increase their milk flow. It has been fully proven that hogs relish it and put on sweet meat through its feeding, and it has also been proven that chickens take to it and find it an excellent substitute for summer green feed.

If these facts are so, as many of us have absolutely and unquestionably established to our own satisfaction, then we have available in cactus an invaluable addition to the crops that California will produce.

Upon its first being brought out, or in the earlier days of planting, much was said about cactus thriving anywhere, on any soil or under any conditions; this is only partly so, for while it has a wonderful vitality, there is no crop grown which will respond more readily to cultivation and irrigation and general care than will spineless cactus. The old theory, too, that spineless cactus would grow better on dry land, without water, is erroneous, and while it does not require the amount of moisture or in a good many cases, the intensive treatment and care of feeding that do other crops, still it improves and produces larger quantities under right farming conditions.

As to the charge of reversion to original form, there need not be any further apprehension on this score than in the case of the many improved fruits that we have that were brought to their present state of perfection by intelligent training. In my own case, I have put out thousands of plants this fall in a reddish, sandy loam soil carrying some gravel and of fair depth. I have given sufficient demonstration in soils of the type to warrant me in believing that cactus will do well in it. It is rather retentive of the moisture and needs careful cultivation.

During the summer months, it should be irrigated three or four times, preferably by subirrigation if possible. Lands of this character are not always available for that purpose and then, too they do not command the high prices that river bottoms do and yet it can reasonably be expected to produce larger and profitable crops of cactus even under a greatly reduced price than it now brings. In other words this kind of land can be made to produce crops that will support, acre for acre, about ten times as much as the same acreage of alfalfa. If this is a fact, and we are satisfied that it is, then spineless cactus will add immeasurably to California production in the shape of cattle, hogs and chickens. We, who are the pioneers in this industry are going at it with every confidence and from the inquiries that are being made for cactus for planting purposes, I think that the average farmer is awakening to its value and that the next few years will see a tremendous increase in this crop.

Of all the kinds that were originally brought out only a few of the best types remain. These consist principally of the robusta anacantha and special melrose, these varieties showing the best growth and almost entire absence of any stickers and have the greatest hardiness.

Improve the Dairy—

Engene Davenport of the Illinois Agricultural College, in urging the adoption of improved methods and the education of consumers to the value of dairy products for food, writes as follows:

A good deal is going to happen in dairying within the next twenty-five years. Dairy husbandry represents the most intensive form of agriculture practiced on this side of the water.

What dairymen all need to do—and do it quick—is to attend to those things that will establish the dairy business as a whole upon a solid basis.

There are three things that today menace the prosperity of the dairy business: First, the inefficient cow; get rid of her. Second, antiquated, unsanitary methods; and third, the general public, our consumers, do not realize as they ought the food value of dairy products. How do milk, butter or cheese compare in the best market as a food product—value for value—with the other products of this country? No comparison!

What we need is to have three campaigns of education—one for better cows, another for better methods in order to make a better product, and another among the consumers to help them realize what dairy products are really worth.

It is up to the dairymen to educate both themselves and the general public and believe they can do it. We must look a long way ahead. There are some things that must be done now for the improvement of dairying twenty years from now.

Cheap Dairy Feed—

On account of the European war cottonseed meal has declined in price according to reports, a fact which will interest all feeders of stock. Experiments have proven that cottonseed meal is equal to linseed meal in nutritive value and twice that of wheat bran. It is excellent to feed with roughage, being high in protein.

Value of Clover—

Clover belongs to the same family as alfalfa and can also be used to excellent advantage in connection with corn. Both hay plants supply the nutrient which is lacking in corn, namely, protein, to give a well-balanced ration, though alfalfa is somewhat richer than clover in this.

Rolled Barley Valuable—

Barley, if rolled, is as valuable as corn; it should, however, be fed in combination with wheat, middlings, skim milk, roots, etc. In these combinations it will be found to be one of the best of feeds for pork production.

How to Get Winter Eggs—

The time to have eggs is when the market is high. Winter always presents the best opportunity to sell eggs, provided you can supply them. The wise poultryman times his hatches and raises his flock in such a way that the hens are at their maximum of egg productivity in winter. This can be done. It isn't luck or accident. Breed for the market and nature will do her share to bring you egg supply up at the season when eggs are scarce and prices high.

Benefits of Charcoal—

People who use plenty of charcoal as an addition to their poultry feed know what it will do for the health of the fowl. Keep in the drinking water of the wee chick: it promotes digestion, shuts off bowel troubles, and causes the chick to grow fast and take on weight rapidly. Experiments made in fattening hens and capons have shown that the lots fed plenty of charcoal became much heavier in a certain time than the lots deprived of it in the feed.

Eggs as laid by the hen and left in the nest to be warmed each day afresh, usually, if fertility be present at all, hatch every egg fertilized. Believing that this daily warming strengthened the germ in the egg and kept it alive, the Pennsylvania station made tests with warmed and unwarmed eggs from the same lots. The eggs warmed for an hour each day while being kept for brooding purpose showed in one instance a 68 per cent hatch over a 52 per cent hatch of eggs left unwarmed. A second test showed a difference of over 9 per cent in favor of the warmed-an-hour eggs. Warmed for thirty minutes also showed a hatch in favor of the warmed eggs, but another test of two hours' heat instead of one hour showed a low per cent hatchability. This warming was too long.

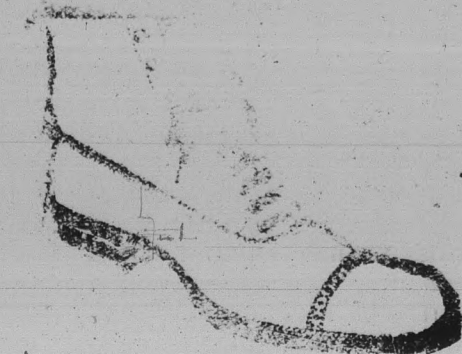
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